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**December 2014 NEWSLETTER**

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## Greetings from The Flying R Ranch

Well, most of the leaves are gone and we've already had our first snowfall. A lot of you have winterized the trailers and will be anxiously awaiting spring. We wanted to again say "Thank you" for spending time with us at the Ranch this year. We realize that there are several destinations and feel honored that a lot of folks continue to come to our place. We're working hard to get everything ready for next year and look forward to an exciting time. We can't wait to see our friends, old and new, real soon.

And remember, we continue to offer discounts from December 1st through the end of February for those of you who like to camp and ride during the winter.

As always, we'll be watching the gate and hope to see you real soon!

*Terry & Pam Carroll*

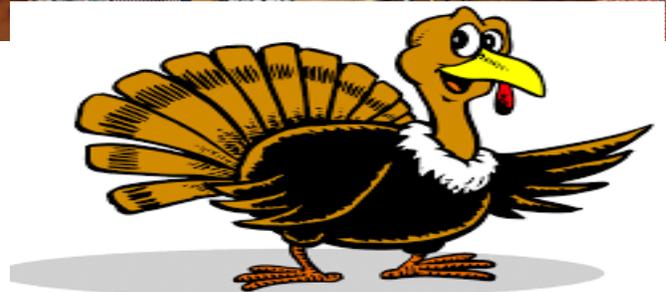
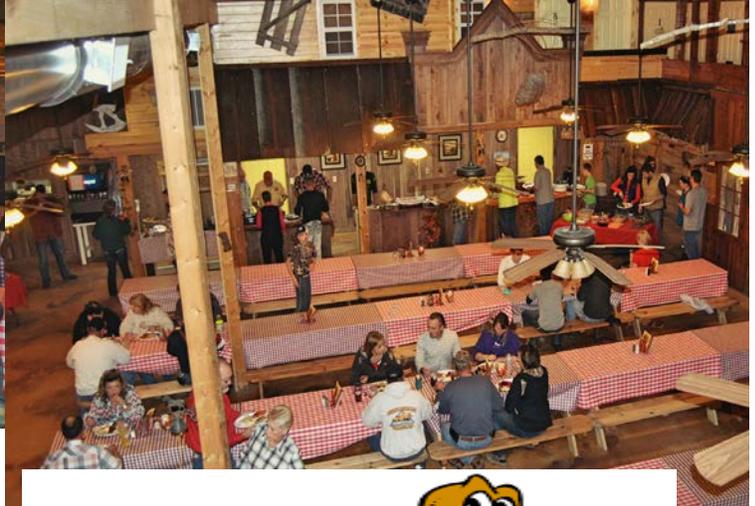
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***Awesome Meal Packages or  
Individual Meals  
Open Year Round  
Miles and Miles of Trails***



**Riding at the Flying R Ranch is always open riding, even on event weekends.  
OPEN 365 DAYS A YEAR!**

# Thanksgiving 2014



2015 is shaping up to be a great year at the Ranch. We hope the following Calendar of Events is helpful in making your plans to come see us. Details for each event will be coming soon as well. As always, we enjoy hearing from each of you with suggestions and comments to help us improve & to make your stay here more enjoyable. And remember, there's always open riding at The Ranch, even on event weekends.

We've had several requests to do some organized rides and we are working on putting a couple together. Watch future newsletters for details.

## 2015 Flying R Ranch Events

*April 10, 11, 12 - Flying R Ranch 1st Annual MULE Days Celebration*

*April 18, 19 - Cowgirl Getaway Weekend*

*April 25, 26 - Flying R Ranch Annual Trail Challenge Competition Part 1*

*May 2, 3 - Chuckwagon Weekend*

*May 23, 24, 25 - Memorial Day Weekend*

*June 6, 7 - Flying R Ranch Annual Trail Challenge Competition Part II*

*June 13, 14 - NATRC Competitive Trail Ride weekend*

*July 4, 5 - Independence Day Celebration*

*July 18, 19 - Flying R Ranch Annual Trail Challenge Competition Part III*

*August 8, 9 - Flying R Ranch Annual Trail Challenge Competition Part IV*

*August 22, 23 - Flying R Ranch Annual Trail Challenge Competition Part V*

*September 5, 6, 7 - Labor Day Weekend*

*September 25, 26, 27 - Bob Burns Memorial National Trail Ride MFTHBA*

*October 3, 4 - Wild West Weekend*

*October 31, Nov. 1 - Halloween Spook Ride*

*November 28, 29 - Thanksgiving Ride*

# Merry Christmas!!!



Information for everyone:

**Riding at the Flying R Ranch is always open riding, even on event weekends.**

When we have event weekends the participation is voluntary, our trails are always open to everyone wanting to ride.

Typically our rides aren't "organized", you may join in the activities or ride with a group or on your own.

Come and see us, you'll be glad you did!

The owners and staff of the Flying R Ranch, would like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas, and a wonderful New Year full of peace and time to visit friends and family.

Show's and Exhibits for 2015 that we will be a part of. If you're in the area, stop by and say hi!!

Jan 22 - 25 Kansas City Bartle Hall Boat and Sports Show

Feb 13-15 Equifest of Kansas Kansas Pavilions

March 6-8 Illinois Horse Fair - Illinois State Fairgrounds

March 20- 22 Horsefest Springfield Mo, 3001 N. Grant

June 20 - Old Time Music Festival - West Plains Mo

***DON'T FORGET TO RESERVE YOUR CANOES AND KAYAKS  
FOR A FLOAT ON THE NORTH FORK***

*When you come to the end of your rope, tie a knot and hold on. . .*

*Anonymous Cowboy*

## Gift Certificates

**Need gift ideas? We offer gift certificates ( in ANY amount ) for use at the Ranch. They make great stocking stuffers for your trail riding enthusiasts.**

**Call today for details or to place an order.**

### Flying R Testimonials

Let other campers know what you think about us here at Flying R Ranch. Go to [www.horsetraildirectory.com](http://www.horsetraildirectory.com) and submit a review. Click on Missouri and scroll down to West Plains-Flying R Ranch then click on Submit Review. If you haven't had a chance to visit us yet, this great website will give you good information from people who have stayed with us. You can also send reviews straight to us at [info@flying-r-ranch.com](mailto:info@flying-r-ranch.com) and on our Facebook page too.

- Joy Reynolds Meizler This is a wonderful place to ride. Friendly staff, very clean and kept! It's an enjoyable place to spend time!
- Toni Giardina We had yet another wonderful stay at Flying R Ranch! They just get better and better! The trails go from easy to challenging and are well marked. We so appreciate all the work they have put into the obstacle course. Really fun to take your horse through. The shower house is one of the nicest and cleanest we've seen. We have horse camped in many states and Flying R is one of the top places to stay!
- Elizabeth Hiers I love riding this place with my friends but that's not what I like most about it. When my friends are too busy to come out and play, I have a place to go that I can feel completely safe and welcome. There truly is a loop for every experience level of both horses and riders. I just found a new favorite loop today.

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